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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Othmar GERSCHWILER et al. ) Group Art Unit: 3725  
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National Stage of International )  
Application No. PCT/CH2003/000061 )  
under 35 U.S.C. § 371, for METHOD )  
AND DEVICE FOR HUSKING AND )  
DEGERMINATING CEREALS )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant petitions for a one month extension of time to January 9, 2009, to file a reply to the Office Action of September 9, 2008. A fee of \$130.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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